

Department of Industrial Relations

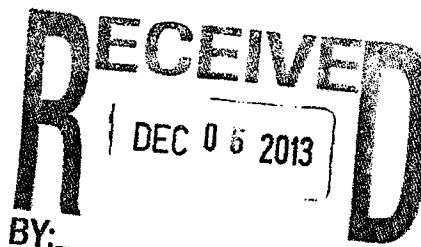
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San Joaquin Cty Mosquito & Vector Control Dept
7759 S. Airport Way
Stockton, CA 95206

Dear Employer:

The Division of Occupational Safety and Health has received a complaint alleging the following condition(s) at your workplace at 12755 N. Thornton Rd, Lodi, which may be a violation of the Safety Orders found in Title 8 of the California Code of Regulations.

Alleged Condition(s) and Title 8 Code Section(s): Regulatory reference available at www.dir.ca.gov/samples/search/query.htm.

1. Poor training. Section 3203.
2. Work in and around water with no flotation device. Section 3389a.
3. Supervisors stopped supervising employees. Section 3203.
4. Not informing employees of chemicals exposure. Section 5194.
5. Pulling 80 pounds manhole covers. Section 3203, 5110.

The Division has not determined whether the hazards, as alleged, exist at your workplace and, at this time, the Division does not intend to conduct an inspection of your workplace.

However, you are required to investigate the alleged condition(s) and notify this Office in writing no later than fourteen (14) calendar days after receipt of this letter whether the alleged condition(s) exist and, if so, specify the corrective action(s) you have taken and the estimated date when the corrections will be completed.

Please include any written documentation, e.g., equipment purchase orders or contracts for corrective work, and photographs, if appropriate, in your response. If you do not respond in a timely and satisfactory manner, an unannounced inspection of your workplace will be scheduled which may result in citation(s) and monetary penalties. Also, every tenth

satisfactory letter response from employers is subject to verification by an inspection.

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You are required to post a copy of this letter and a copy of your response to the Division in a prominent location in your workplace where it is readily accessible for employee review for at least three (3) days or until the hazard is corrected, whichever is longer.

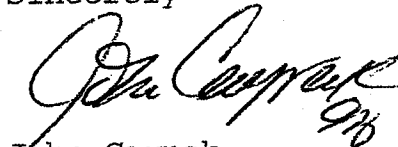
This letter is not a citation or a notification of a proposed penalty. Citations and penalties can only be issued after an inspection of your workplace. If the Division does not receive a satisfactory response from you within fourteen (14) calendar days after receipt of this letter, an on-site inspection will be conducted as appropriate.

If the identity of the complainant is known to the Division, a copy of this letter will be sent to the complainant. Also, the complainant will be notified that California law protects any person who makes a complaint about workplace safety and health hazards from being treated differently, discharged or discriminated against in any manner by their employer. If a complainant believes they have been discriminated against, it is their right to file a complaint with the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement within six (6) months of the discriminatory action.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at the address in the letterhead.

Your interest in the safety and health of your employees is appreciated.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John Caynak", with a date "9/16" written below it.

John Caynak
District Manager

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Reference: File 362 209221084-d

NOTICE OF NO VIOLATION AFTER INSPECTION

San Joaquin County Mosquito Abatement District
7759 S Airport Way
Lodi, CA 95206

An inspection was conducted by **Gary McIver** at a place of employment located at **12755 N Thornton Rd, Lodi, on 01/13/2014**. This inspection was initiated by any or all of the following reasons: complaint, follow-up, referral, planned.

Description of area(s) inspected:
An inspection of the San Joaquin County Mosquito Abatement District at the White Slough
Facility did not result in violations of the California Code of Regulations, Title 8. Emphasis was
placed on training, flotation devices, chemical exposure, usage and storage of Formalin
(Parasite-S), harzard identification and pulling manhole covers.

Signature: 
Safety Engineer/Industrial Hygienist

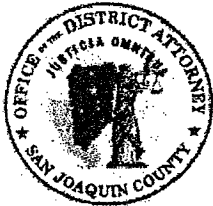
Signature: 
District Manager/Senior Industrial Hygienist

Date of Issuance: _____ Date Inspection Completed: _____

Said inspection was completed on _____. It has been determined that no violation of any standard, rule, order or regulation set forth in Title 8, California Code of Regulations and Division 5 of the California Labor Code has been found as a result of this inspection.

This notice relates solely and exclusively to the inspection on the above date, which was not necessarily a comprehensive inspection of the worksite. Due to the transitory nature of worksite conditions, violations can occur occasionally or routinely and may be undetected by any given inspection. This notice does not preclude the issuance of citations on any future inspection.

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ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY

June 11, 2014

Mr. Gary McIver
Cal/OSHA
Sacramento, CA

**Re: San Joaquin County Mosquito
and Vector Control District**

Gary:

The 2011-2012 San Joaquin County Civil Grand Jury received a complaint and initiated an investigation into the operations of the San Joaquin County Mosquito and Vector Control District. A final report was issued in June of 2012.

As an advisor to the Grand Jury, I was notified during the investigation that allegations of illegal conduct were being made against the district concerning the use of the drug Paracide-F. The Grand Jury asked the District Attorney's Office to investigate this allegation.

District Attorney Investigator Mike Morris interviewed the complainant, employees of the district, reviewed documents and consulted with state experts concerning the allegation. Based on his investigation there was no indication of criminal conduct. The Grand Jury was notified and no further action was taken.

If anything further is needed, please let me know.

Sincerely,

JAMES P. WILLETT
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Scott A. Fichtner
Chief Deputy District Attorney